

## Message Text

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6262

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TAGS: SNAR, GW  
SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL STATEMENT ON DRUG ABUSE

REF: A. BONN 3023, B. STATE 27870

1. IN RESPONSE TO THE APPROACH MADE BY THE AMBASSADOR  
ON FEBRUARY 27 (REF A), EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED A LETTER  
FROM STATE MINISTER WISCHNEWSKI TO THE AMBASSADOR,  
DATED MARCH 2, 1977. TEXT FOLLOWS:

DEAR MR. AMBASSADOR:

AT OUR DISCUSSION OF FEBRUARY 17, 1977 YOU GAVE ME  
THE TEXT OF A MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT CARTER TO THE  
UNITED NATIONS ON THE PROBLEM OF DRUG ABUSE. I  
WISH TO AVAIL MYSELF OF THIS OPPORTUNITY TO UNDERLINE  
THE GREAT SIGNIFICANCE THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ATTACHES  
TO AN EFFECTIVE CONTROL OF NARCOTICS ABUSE.

THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT PASSED AN ACTION PROGRAM FOR  
NARCOTICS CONTROL IN 1970, WHICH  
IS BEING WORKED ON CONTINUOUSLY. THE FEDERAL CHANCELLOR STATED IN  
HIS GOVERNMENT DECLARATION OF DECEMBER 16, 1976 THAT  
THE CONTROL OF THE INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS TRADE IS A  
SPECIAL CENTER OF GRAVITY OF THE EFFORTS OF THE  
GOVERNMENT IN THE FIELD OF INTERNAL SECURITY. THIS  
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SHOWS THAT THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ASSESSES THE  
PROBLEM OF DRUG ABUSE EQUALLY AS GRAVELY AS PRESIDENT  
CARTER AND THAT THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT IS TAKING ALL  
NECESSARY ACTION FOR SUCCESSFUL INTERNATIONAL COOPER-  
ATION.

WITH BEST REGARDS, HANS-JUERGEN WISCHNEWSKI

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